GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
URBAN EMPLOYMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1289
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CONSTRUCTION OF HOUSES
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Will the Minister of URBAN EMPLOYMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government of Madhya Pradesh had sent a scheme to Housing and Urban Development Corporation Limited on October 9, 2003 for the construction of 1063 houses under the Valmiki Ambedkar Awas Yojna;

(b) if so, the present status of the proposal;

(c) the reasons for not approving the scheme so far; and

(d) the time by which the proposal is likely to be approved?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN EMPLOYMENT & POVERTY ALLEVIATION (KUMARI SELJA)

(a): A proposal under Valmiki Ambedkar Awas Yojana (VAMBAY) for construction of 1063 dwelling units in Gram Palasi, Navibagh & Bawadiakala areas of Bhopal by Bhopal Municipal Corporation/SUDA, Madhya Pradesh was received on 15.10.2003.

(b)to(d): The said proposal did not comply with the requirements under VAMBAY guidelines. The scheme was meant for rehabilitation of Safai Kamgars of Bhopal Municipal Corporation. The families to be benefited under this scheme were stated to belong to EWS category. The agency was requested to furnish income details of these families to examine their claim to be belonging to EWS category. The agency did not furnish the requisite information and details about the existing status of the slum families and breakup of the slum population as required under the scheme. The proposal could not, therefore, be approved by the Government.